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**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
TO CONNECT AND DISCHARGE TO A COUNTY DRAIN**

Applicant's Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone Number: (____) _____

Contractor's Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone Number: (____) _____

Applicant's Contract Name and Telephone Number (____) _____

I do hereby make application for a permit to make connection and discharge to the
_____ County Drain at the following location(s):
_____ in the Township/City of
_____ for the purpose of discharging clean unpolluted
stormwater.

I certify that I accept the following:

1. Commencement of work set forth in the permit application constitutes acceptance of the permit issued.
2. Failure to object within ten (10) days to the permit as issued constitutes acceptance of the permit as issued.
3. If this permit is accepted by either of the above methods, I will comply with the provisions of the permit.
4. I will be responsible for and pay all costs incurred by the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner and the Drainage District for engineering service in reviewing this Permit Application and for all costs of inspection of the work performed thereunder.
5. I hereby agree to comply with all terms and conditions as set forth in the permit, together with the following rules and regulations as established by the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner for connecting to a county drain.
6. All connections to established county drains shall be done in a professional manner acceptable to the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner. When connection is made to an enclosed storm sewer, the connection hole must be bored or cut with concrete saw to the appropriate diameter. (Any method such as jackhammer, sledgehammer, or breaking through the wall is unacceptable). All connections must be properly sealed to prevent leakage and/or infiltration into the system.
7. It is desired that all connections be tapped into a manhole or catchbasin. If this is not possible and connection must be made in the main line sewer a detailed description of the connection must be submitted to the Water Resources Commissioner for approval.
8. Open drain connections must be restored and a protected against erosion and bank failure by use of seed, hydroseed, sod, rip rap, stone, concrete spillways, etc. as determined appropriate for the situation and approved by the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner.
9. Any structures removed such as headwalls, wingwalls, concrete slabs, rip rap, erosion protection, tiling and culverts-metal or concrete, must be replaced with new material and reconstructed to original condition or better.
10. All ditch banks, when disturbed, must be reshaped to a minimum of 2:1 slope, compacted, topsoiled and seeded, fertilized and mulched or hydroseeded, as determined suitable for the situation.
11. Five (5) days notice is required to the inspection department prior to any construction that will involve a county drain. Connection should not be backfilled until inspected and approved.

12. Equipment and materials may not be stored in any way so as to cause blockage of a county drain.
13. Permittee is responsible for maintaining all storm drainage during the time of construction, whether by use of pumping equipment or construction of a bypass system.
14. Permit fee will be Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00), payable by check to the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner. Prior to issuance of a permit, proof of Contractor's Liability Insurance must be filed with the Office of the Water Resources Commissioner, with the named insured, in compliance with the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner's standards. Also indemnity insurance in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 will be required.
15. This permit does not relieve applicant from meeting any application requirement of law or of other public bodies or agencies, local, state or federal.
16. Permittee shall be responsible for and pay all costs for engineering and inspection services incurred by the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner in the review of the Permit Application and inspection of work performed hereunder. Payment to be made within thirty (30) days of invoice.
17. Permittee is allowed to discharge clean unpolluted storm water only. Any product or material entering the established county drain through the authorized connection that is deemed unacceptable and considered pollution is the sole responsibility of the Permittee in regard to liability and expense for cleanup, fines, or penalties under local, state and federal law.

Further, Permittee shall hold harmless and indemnify the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, the _____ Drainage District, and their employees, agents or contractors from any injury to person(s) or property sustained as a result of the placement or uses specified herein.

Date: _____

Applicant's Signature

Its: _____

I hereby certify that I am acting as authorized agent on behalf of the above named applicant.

Date: _____

Authorized Agent's Signature



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The _____ Drain Drainage District, by and through Larry Cortright, Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, does hereby grant permission to _____ (Permittee), to connect and discharge to an established county drain in _____ Township/City, Calhoun County, Michigan. This Permit is issued for the sole and only purpose of allowing Permittee the right to discharge clean, unpolluted stormwater to the _____ Drain.

In consideration of the granting of this Permit, Permittee does hereby agree to comply with all terms and conditions as set forth in this Permit, together with the rules and regulations as established by the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, said rules and regulations are as follows:

1. All connections to established county drains shall be done in a professional manner acceptable to the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner. When connection is made to an enclosed storm sewer, the connection hole must be cored or cut with a concrete saw to the appropriate diameter. (Any method such as jackhammer, sledgehammer, or breaking through the wall is unacceptable.) All connections must be properly sealed to prevent leakage and/or infiltration into the system.
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Further, Permittee shall hold harmless and indemnify the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, the Drainage District, and their employees, agents or contractors from any injury to person(s) or property sustained as a result of the placement or the uses specified herein.

Permittee further agrees to hold harmless the _____ Drain
Drainage District to any action by Permittee as individuals or its company in regard to
any liabilities of expense incurred.

Further, this Permit is subject to additional terms and conditions as follows:

_____.

WHEREFORE, this Permit is granted this _____ day of
_____, 201__.

Larry Cortright
Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner